

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1.-17. (Cancelled).

18. (Currently Amended) An audio-video receiving apparatus comprising:

main looking-listening means for looking at and listening to a broadcast program including video data and/or audio data; and

auxiliary looking-listening means for cyclically detecting the state of a broadcast program other than the broadcast program looked and listened through said main looking-listening means; wherein

said detection is performed so that a program and/or data necessary when said broadcast program looked and listened through said main looking-listening means is switched to other broadcast program can be smoothly processed, and

said data includes video data and/or audio data. wherein in said auxiliary looking-listening means, a preparation for reading and starting a program in a receiving terminal during changing of channel is performed by receiving at least control information.

19.-94. Cancelled.